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## RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION OF JUNE 13, 2006 AND NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT MAILED DECEMBER 27, 2006

Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action of June 13, 2006 and the Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment mailed December 27, 2006 in the above-identified patent application, Applicants hereby re-submit the Listing of Claims. Pursuant to the Notice, only the Listing of Claims is included.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begin on Page 2 of this paper

Respectfully submitted,

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